

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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DERICK W. VANTERPOOL,
Plaintiff,

v.

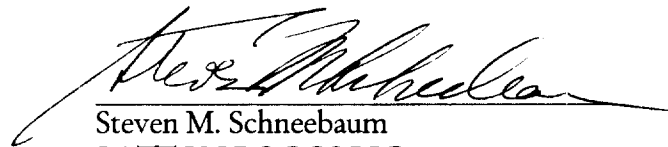
RITZ CAMERA CENTERS, INC.
Defendant.

Civil Action No. _____ DEPUTY
WMN 00 CV 1155

JOINT REQUEST FOR EARLY SETTLEMENT/ADR CONFERENCE

The parties – Plaintiff *pro se*, and Defendant through undersigned counsel -- have conferred by telephone, and have agreed that they would jointly request the Court to schedule an early settlement and/or alternative dispute resolution conference.

Respectfully submitted,



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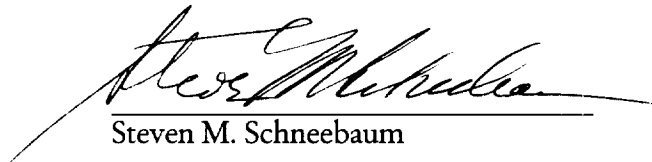
" APPROVED " THIS 2nd DAY
OF June, 2000
WMN Schneebaum
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that, on this 31st day of May, 2000, I served the foregoing JOINT REQUEST FOR EARLY SETTLEMENT/ADR CONFERENCE upon Plaintiff, by mailing a copy thereof, first-class postage prepaid, to:

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